TO: TEMPORARY CO-CHAIRPERSONS SENATOR HORN AND REPRESENTATIVE VANDER LINDEN AND MEMBERS OF THE GAMBLING CASINO RESTRICTED LICENSE STUDY COMMITTEE FROM: JOE MCENIRY, SENIOR LEGAL COUNSEL, LEGISLATIVE SERVICES AGENCY

Welcome to the Gambling Casino Restricted License Study Committee. The temporary co-chairpersons of the committee are Senator Horn and Representative Vander Linden. The Legislative Council has authorized one meeting day for the Committee. After having caucus staff speak with the temporary co-chairs, the date for the committee meeting has been set for **Tuesday**, **October 20**, **in Room 22 of the State Capitol**. Please contact your caucus staff or myself if you have a conflict with that date. The meeting start time and overall length of the meeting will be established when the agenda is finalized.

The charge of the committee is as follows:

Conduct a study regarding licensing of a non-smoking casino in Cedar Rapids, and submit recommendations, if deemed appropriate, to the General Assembly, by January 1, 2016.

Some initial topics have been discussed, and I will be in contact with the temporary co-chairs and caucus staff to develop the agenda. If any member has any suggestions, feel free to contact the temporary co-chairs, your caucus staff, or myself and I will raise the ideas with the temporary co-chairs. As materials become available I will post them on the Committee website. The Committee website is available here: https://www.legis.iowa.gov/committees/committee?ga=86&session=1&groupID=24162

Again, welcome to the Committee. If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to contact me, Joe McEniry, at (515) 281-3189 or by email at joseph.mceniry@legis.iowa.gov

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